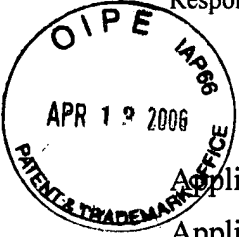


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AMENDMENT UNDER 35 C.F.R §1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office action of December 15, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.